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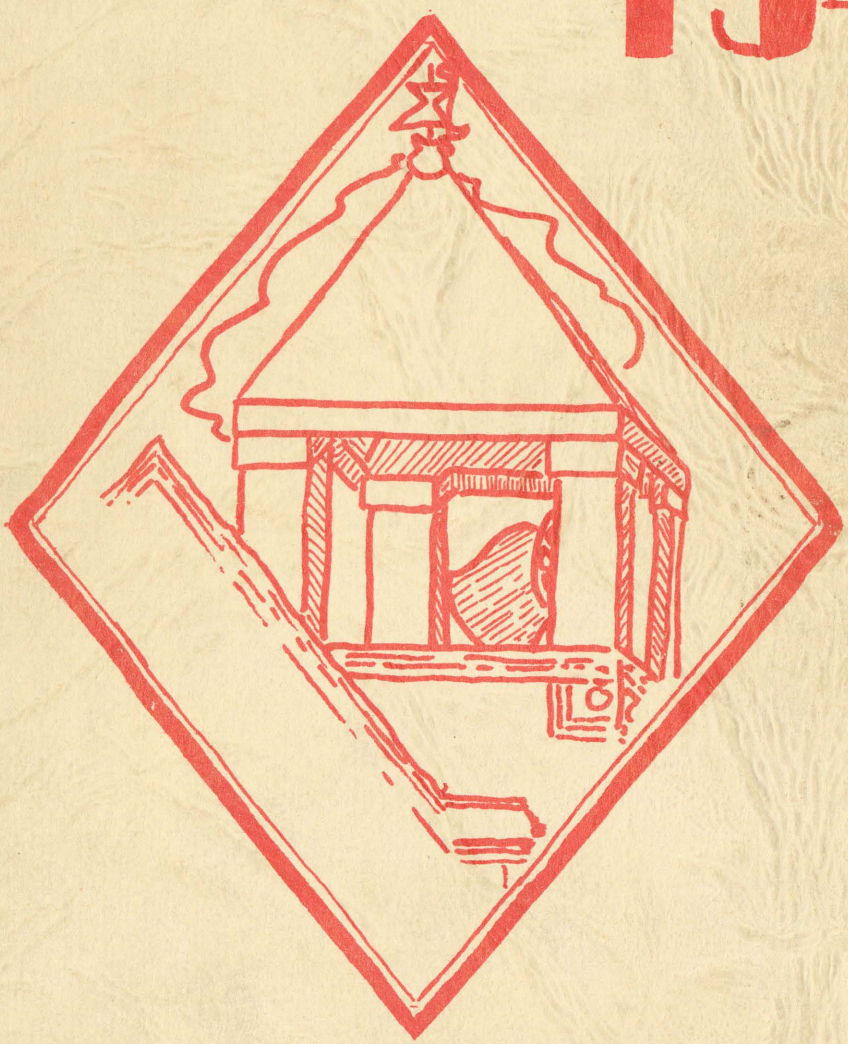

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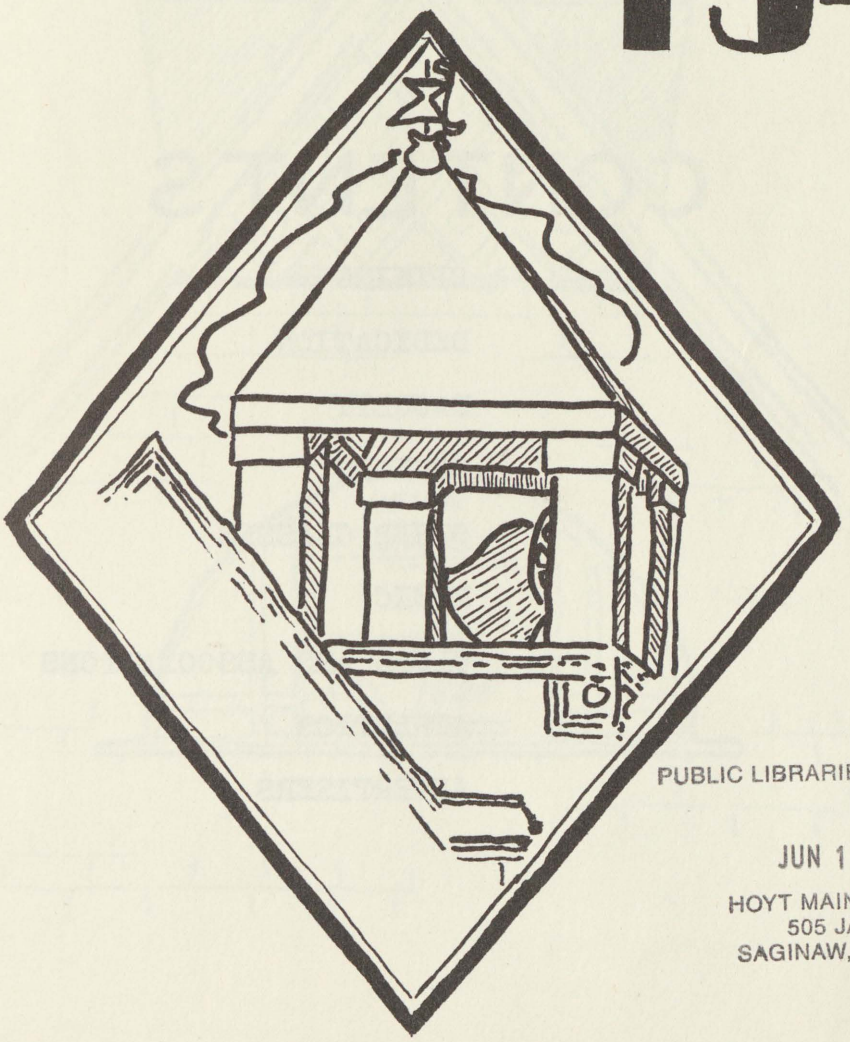

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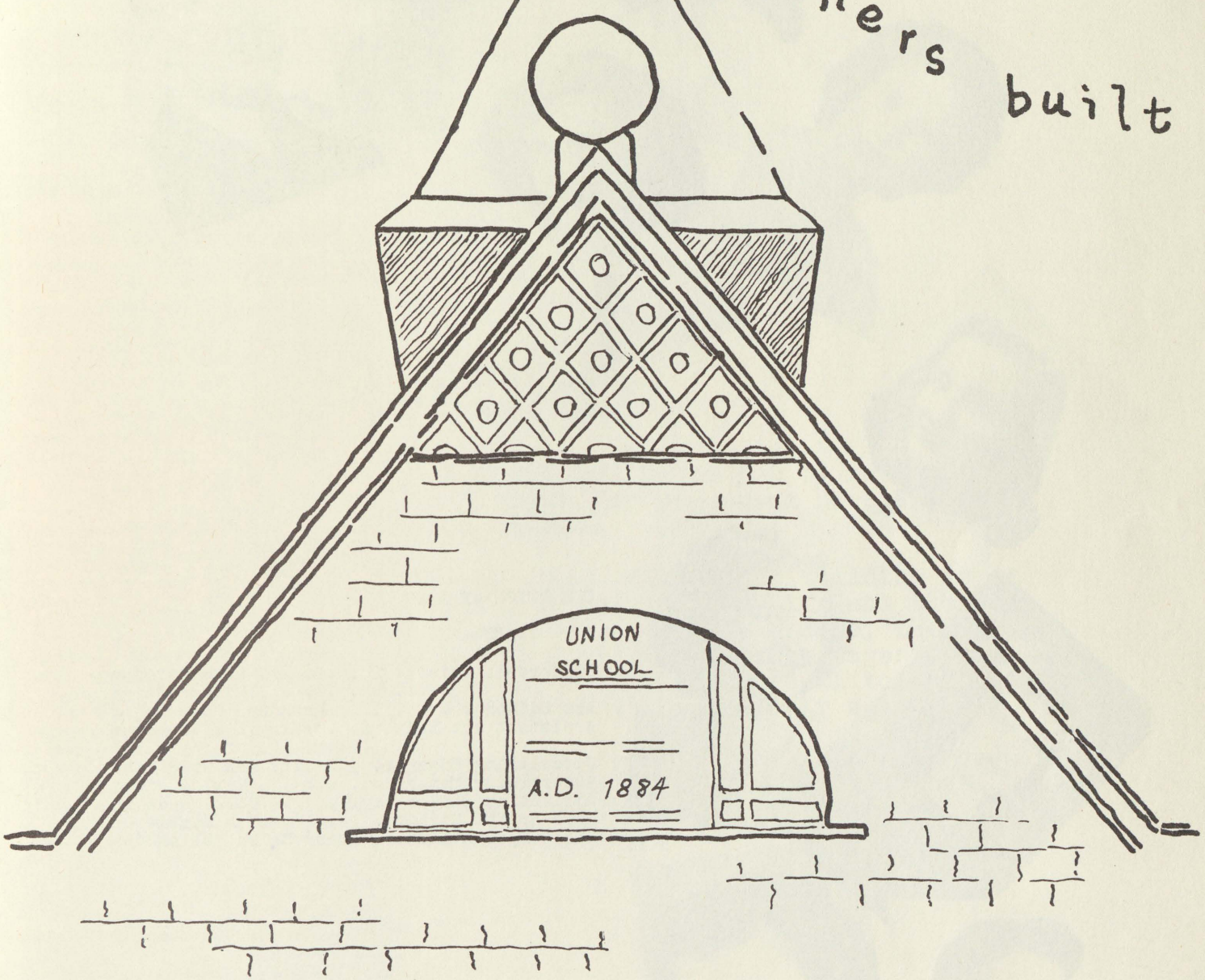

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FOREWORD

The Senior Class wants you to remember and relive every happy day you spent here at St. Charles High School.

Realizing that this school building is at least in the twilight of it's life and the old familiar places will soon be no more, they have tried to preserve in the division pages some of the scenes most likely to recall to memory the old building as it is in their school day.

In later years as you leaf through these pages, they want you to see the halls, the rooms and the happy faces. That is their aim in presenting this book.

Dedication

THE SENIOR class of 1949 dedicate THE UNION to MERTA L. REED a loyal and helpful teacher whom we have all grown to know and love.

Mrs. MERTA L. REED will always be a living memory in the hearts of the "Class of '49" not only as a teacher and an advisor, but also as a true friend.

IN MEMORIAM

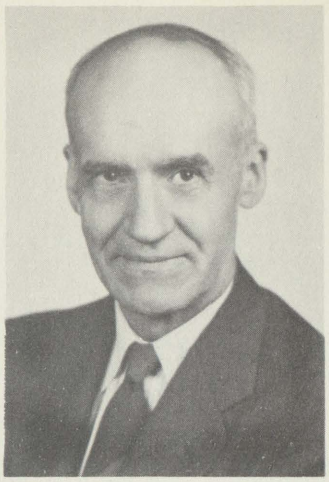
To know Gerry Krause was to love her. Her quick sympathy, ready smile, and enthusiasm brightened every cloudy day. Gerry was always willing to help and gladly took part in the school activities. As a majorette she seemed the personification of life and laughter.

That she should leave this life at it's dawning filled our hearts with grief for our loss. But, when we too shall see the Master face to face then we shall know and love again the one who loved us here.

Geraldine Bernice Krause was born January 5, 1932, in St. Charles and died September 16, 1945.

FACULTY

Myron H. Rehyer
Superintendent of schools



Hugh A. Slater
Principal of High School

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Merta L. Reed, Commerce
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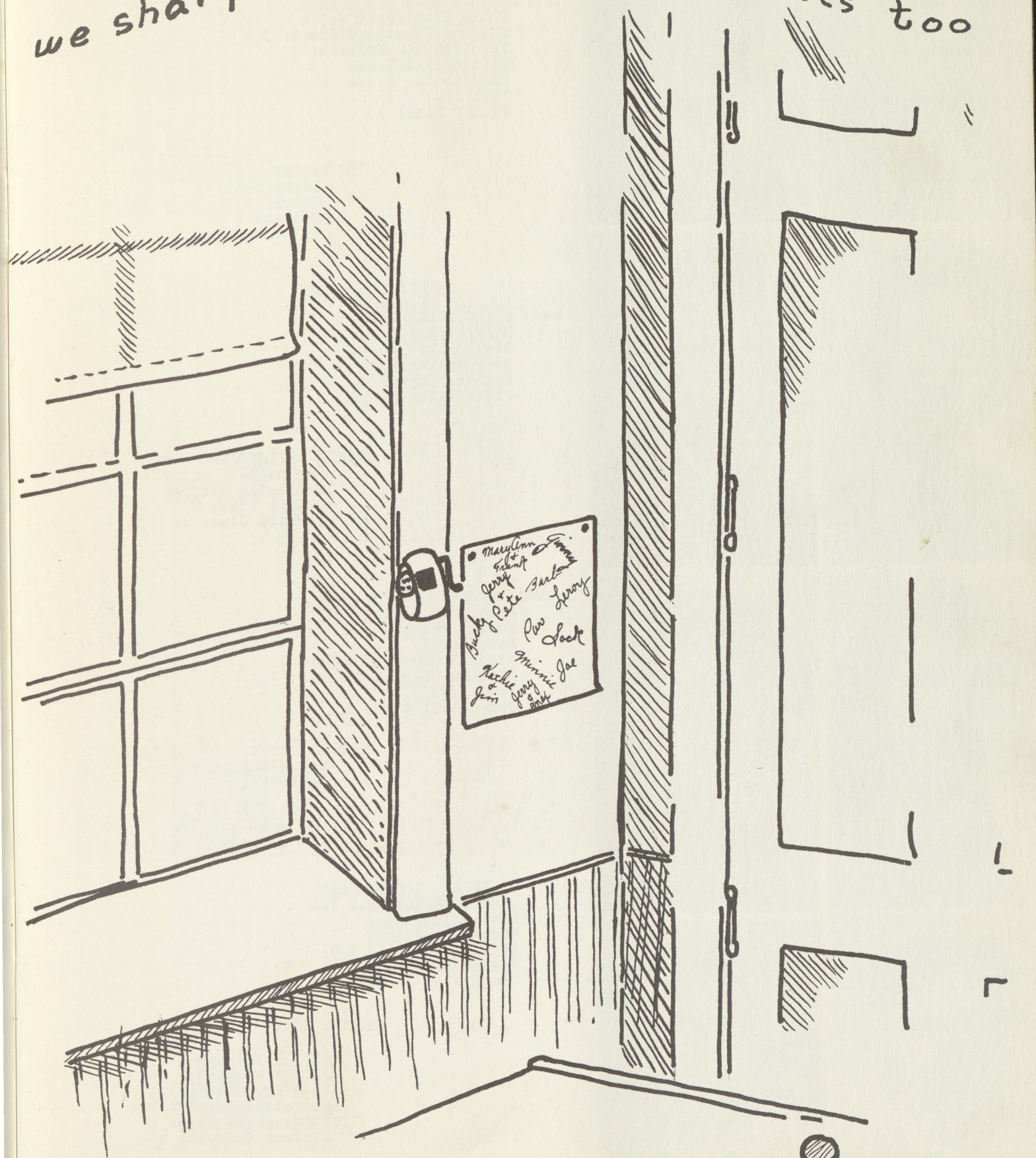
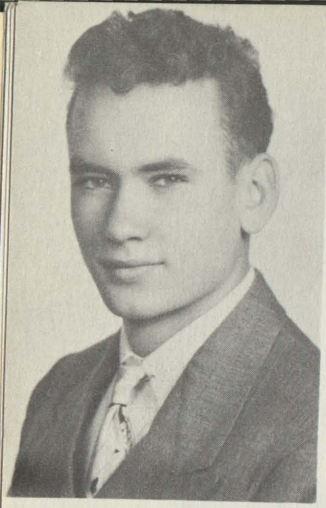
Anna Thurston
Mathematics

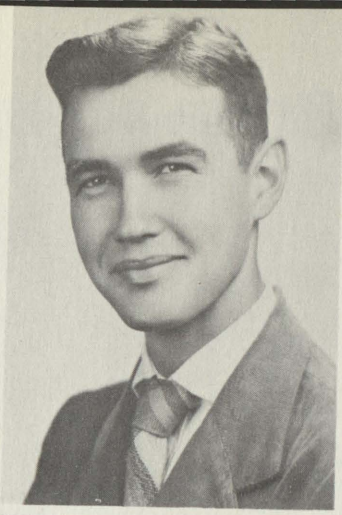
Myron H. Reyher
Superintendent

Nezzie Cline
Homemaking

we sharpen our wits and pencils too







DON EVON
Class President: 2,3,4
Student Council Officer: 3,4
Varsity Club Trustee: 4
Baseball: 1,2,3,4
Basketball: 1,3,4
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Junior Play: 3

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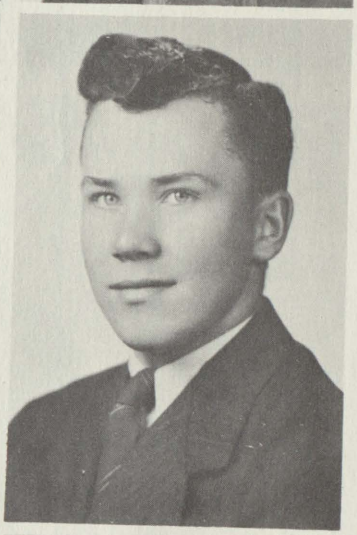
Track: 3
Chorus: 4



MARY ELLEN BELLENBAUM
Band: 1,2,3,4
Glee Club: 3
Basketball: 3,4
Junior Play: 3
Class Vice-Pres: 4

ROBERT BELLENBAUM
Basketball: 1,2,3,4
Football: 1,2,3,4
Junior Play: 3
Varsity Club: 4

CAROL REDBURN
Class Officer: 1,2,3,4
Junior Play: 3
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Student Council Member: 1
Student Council Officer: 3,4
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Commercial Club: 3,4

COLLEEN BRADY
Cheerleading: 3
Basketball: 1

MARION CERVA
Class Officer: 1,2,3,4
Band: 1,2,3,4
Basketball: 1
Student Council: 1,3
Junior Play: 3
Commercial Club: 3,4

MAXINE BIXBY
Band: 1,2,3
Glee Club: 4
Junior Play: 3
Vice-President: 1,3
Cheerleading: 1,2,3,4
Pres. of F. H. C: 4
Student Council: 3

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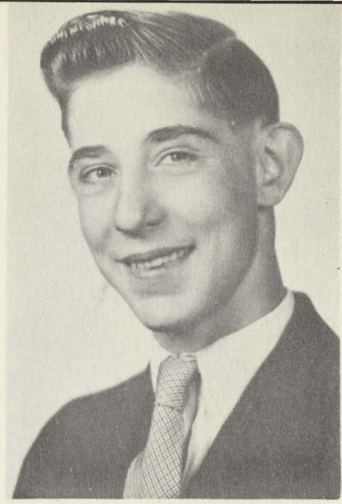

LEROY BURCH
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Track: 1,2,3,4
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Student Council
Officer: 4

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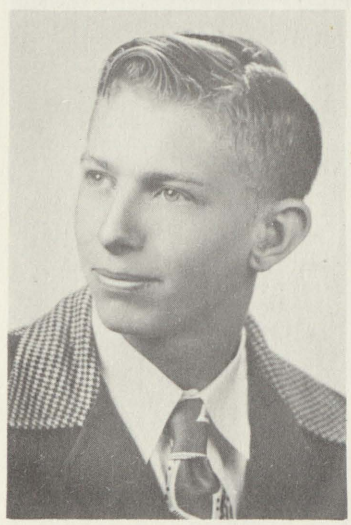

DALE DOCKHAM
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Basketball: 4
Track: 3,4
Junior Play: 3
Varsity Club: 4
Glee Club: 3

JOE GALARDI
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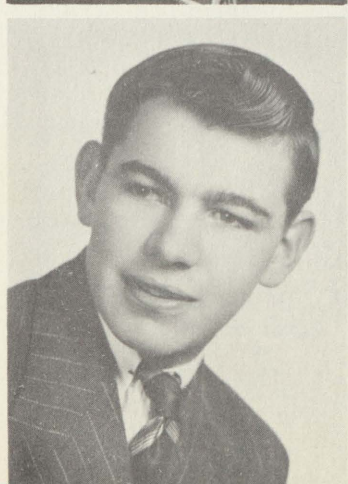

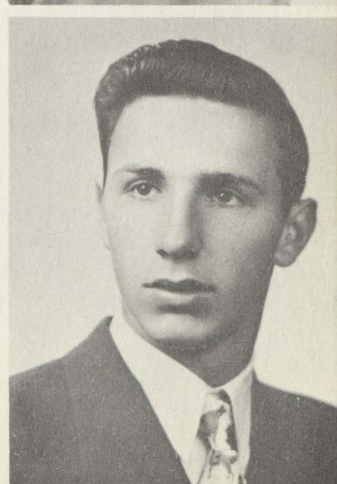

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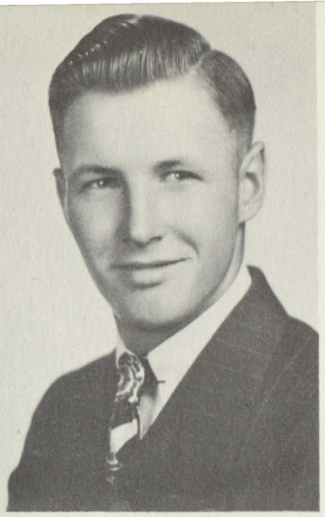

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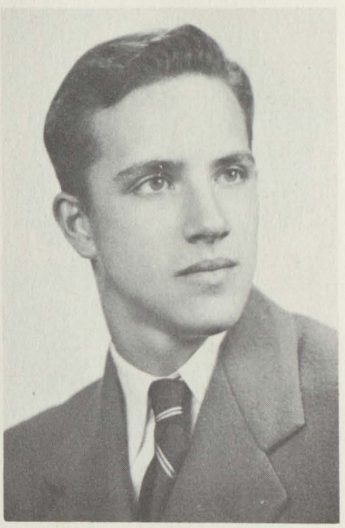

FREEMAN LYTLE
Football: 1,2,3,4
Baseball: 1,3
Basketball: 1,2
Track: 2,3
Varsity Club: 3,4
Junior Play: 3

ARLETTA HILDEBRANT
Basketball: 1,2,3,4
Commercial Club: 3,4

RICHARD MILANO
Football: 1,2,3,4
Basketball: 1,2,3,4
Track: 1,2,3,4
Varsity Club: 4

BILLY KRAUSE
Football: 1,3,4
Basketball: 1,2,3,4
Baseball: 1,2,3,4
Varsity Club Pres: 4
F.F.A: 1,2,3

KATHLEEN MAZZUKELLY
Commercial Club: 3,4
Glee Club: 1,4
F.H.A. Club Vice-President: 1,4
Junior Play: 3
Art Club: 1

VIRGINIA LOUCHART
Band: 1,2,3,4
Basketball: 1,2,3,4
Glee Club: 1,2,3,4
Commercial Club: 3,4
Junior Play: 3

ANGELO PAVESI
Football: 1,2,3,4
Basketball: 1,2,3,4
Track: 1,2,3,4
Band: 1,2
Varsity Club: 2,3,4

JIM STAPLETON
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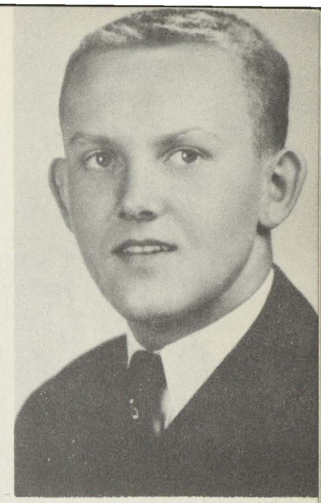
Student Council: 4



STELLA PAHOTA
Glee Club: 2
Basketball: 4
Commercial Club: 3,4

SHIRLEY STEVENS
Glee Club: 2
Commercial Club: 3,4

ROSE PHELPS
Glee Club: 1,2,3
Commercial Club: 3,4
Home Economics Club: 4

WILLIAM STEVENS
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Basketball: 1,2,3
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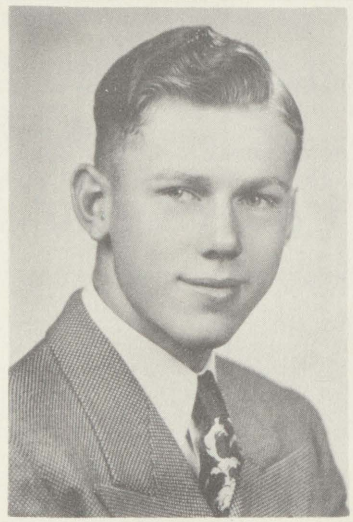

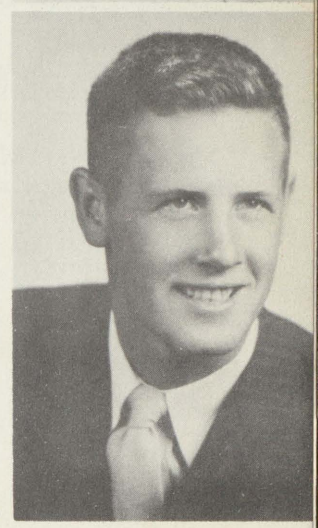

JACK ROSSMAN
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Basketball: 2,3
Baseball: 2,3
Glee Club: 3

HELEN SIMONS
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Student Council: 1
Student Council
Officer: 4
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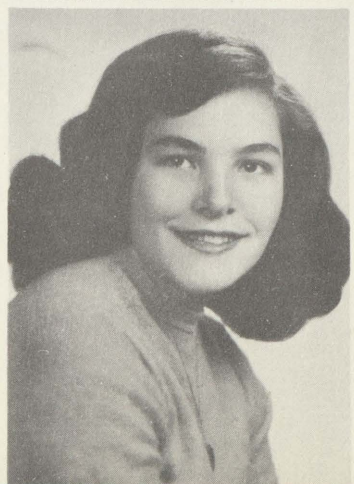
Commercial Club: 3,4
Wolverine State: 3
DAR Pilgrim: 4



DONNA RUF
Band: 1,2,3,4
Basketball: 1,2,3,4
Junior Play: 3
Drama Club: 3,4
Glee Club: 3,4
Commercial Club: 3,4

FRANK SZARENSKI
Track: 1,2,3
Football: 1,2,3,4
Basketball: 3,4
Band: 4

RALPH STEVENS
Baseball: 2,3,4
Football: 1,3,4
Basketball: 2,3,4
Track: 3,4
Varsity Club
Trustee: 3,4

BARBARA WEIGOLD
Commercial Club: 3,4
Glee Club: 2,4
Future Homemakers Club: 2,3,4
F.H.C. Sec: 4

Class Colors: Red and White

Class Flower: White Rose

Class Motto: With the ropes of the past we ring the bells of the future.

CLASS HISTORY

In the fall of 1945, when we entered St. Charles High School, we chose as advisor to guide us through our first year, Joseph LaVigne. Our class officers were; Marion Cerva, president; Maxine Bixby, vice-president; Carol Redburn, secretary; and Mary Ann Griffiths, treasurer. The big event of the first year was a magazine contest in which we won five dollars in cash.

The kind hearted Sophomores refrained from putting us through the customary initiation, thus setting us apart as an especially favored group--the only freshmen class of St. Charles High to escape initiation.

Our class advisor for the Sophomore year, was Earl Nelson. The class officers were Don Evon, president; Helen Simons, vice-president; Marion Cerva, secretary; Carol Redburn, treasurer. We were better acquainted now with the ways of high school and took part in more activities. The one we enjoyed most was the initiation of the freshmen and the party following it.

Class advisor for our Junior year, was our principal, Floyd Taylor. The class officers were Don Evon, president; Maxine Bixby, vice-president; Carol Redburn, secretary; and Marion Cerva, treasurer. This year we were really busy. Our activities began with a barn dance in October. In December we gave the Junior Play, "Don't Take My Penny." We were very proud of the success of this play which ran for two nights. Then, for the "Jay Hop" in April, we decorated the Gym with dogwood blossoms to make a ceiling and built a corral around the dance floor with poplars--that gym was a beautiful place! Next big event was the Junior-Senior banquet in May. The ceremonies for this were under the able direction of Maxine Bixby. The touching farewell to the Seniors was delivered by Mary Ann Griffiths.

In our Senior year, our old friends, the class of '48, helped us again for in our Junior year-they organized a Student Council and a Varsity Club so that in our Senior year everything was ready for really good work. Elections of officers for the Student Council and Varsity Club were held in the spring, and our year began with the election of the following class officers: Don Evon, president; Mary Ellen Bellenbaum, vice-president; Carol Redburn, secretary; and Marion Cerva, treasurer. With our Superintendent, Myron Reyher as class advisor, we began at once to plan our Senior year's work and play. Our first work, to earn money for the class trip at the end of the year, consisted of selling candy, giving suppers, and conducting raffles.

The King, the Queen and their attendents for the annual Library Ball were Angelo Pavesi, Mary Ellen Bellenbaum, Helen Simons, Ralph Stevens, Marion Cerva, and Jim Stapleton. The King and Queen were crowned at midnight, led the grand march, and reigned for an hour over one of the finest balls ever given in St. Charles.

Conditions have made it impossible for the Senior Classes of the past six years to publish a yearbook. We are very glad to be able to have one this year and we hope the students and friends of the school will like it.

Plans are made for the Senior-Class play, "Girl Shy" and for the Class trip by boat to Toronto, Canada.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE CLASS OF '49

On this 15th day of March in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Forty-nine, we the class of '49 being of sound mind and memory, and realizing that we shall soon pass from these halls forever as high school students, do hereby make, publish, and declare this to be our last will and testament.

First: We direct that all just debts be paid from the fund of good will we leave.

Second: We do hereby give, devise, and bequeath to all our successors the following:

1. The love of our teachers.

2. The pictures framed by school windows, of blue sky with the tree tops etched against it, and all the other pictures they may frame as the days go by.

3. The sound of the wind in the trees and the songs of the birds blended with the barking of dogs and the shouts of children on the play ground.

4. The laughter and fun in the halls when classes pass.

5. The joyful surprise that one feels when he discovers that education is good medicine, and it is fun to learn.

6. The thrilling sense of belonging when one is hailed by classmates as Angie, Pat, or Bill.

7. The happiness that comes when one first learns he can lose himself in a book, express himself in a different language, or find a new and better way of doing things.

8. The ability to appreciate (this must be cherished) the sacrifices made for him by parents, teachers, and friends.

THESE THINGS we have held in common and so we pass them on to our successors.

SOME OF OUR ASSETS belong to individual members of the class and they do each one hereby give devise and bequeath his or her special asset as follows:

James Balmer leaves his ability to work nights and still have a good time to anyone who likes night life.

Mary Ellen Bellenbaum wills her jolly personality to Arlene Schultz who we hope will profit by it.

Robert Bellenbaum wills his shy and quiet ways to Beverly Greenman so that the teachers will have a little peace and quiet for a while.

Maxine Bixby wills her cheerleading ability to Nancy Thurston.

Shirley Bodhaine leaves her tardiness to Patricia Pasionek so the teachers will have someone to call in for tardiness next year.

Colleen Brady wills her giggles to all the teachers in hopes that the school will be a more cheerful place in the future.

LeRoy Burch leaves his "Toni" curl to Mr. Reyher, as the senior class has caused him to tear most of his hair out.

Marion Cerva leaves her willingness to study to Jim Tiedt, hoping he will profit by it.

Dale Dockham wills his ability to play the bones to LeRoy Nidini.

Don Evon wills his curly hair to Sonia Schweizer, it's something she's always wanted.

Bob Fries wills his wolfish nature to Jim Bixby, who already has a good start.

Joe Galardi bequeaths his ability to argue with Mr. Rich to his brother Jim.

Jerry Griffiths wills his ability to win favor with a girl who has a car to Jack Hulien who needs a car.

Mary Ann Griffiths wills her freckles to Nancy Schoonover hopeing they will make her seem less fragile.

Betty Guziak wills her flash bulb camera to the seniors of next year so they can take blackmail pictures on their senior trip.

Laura Haner leaves her library books to Betsy Gould.

Arletta Hildebrant leaves her ability to go out every night and get in late without her mother's knowledge to Janice Duquette.

Billy Krause leaves all his silly expressions to Pat Ward. We know Pat will appreciate this.

Virginia Louchart wills her blue eyes and blond hair to Pat Heins.

Freeman Lytle leaves a bit of his bashful nature to his brother Don so in the future the girls can live in peace.

Kathleen Mazzukelly wills her height to Mary Alice Kendall so Mary won't have to look up to everybody in the world.

Richard Milano bequeaths his ability to get Mathematics to Kenneth Cundy so Kenny won't have to study so hard.

Stella Pahota wills her Polish Hop and dancing technique to Nancy Scherzer.

Angelo Pavesi bequeaths his "Charles Atlas" build to Jim Gorman.

Rose Phelps leaves her ability to get a diamond in her Junior year to the most deserving girl in the Junior class.

Carol Redburn leaves her long hair to Ann McSweyn so that some day we may see Ann with long hair.

Jack Rossman wills all the Saginaw girls to the St. Charles boys so they will have a larger variety to pick from.

Donna Ruf wills her ability to work at Mary's making sodas and flirt at the same time to Jean Ellis. Here's hoping Jean makes good use of it.

Helen Simons wills her scholastic position to Laurel Stotts.

Jim Stapleton bequeaths his basket ball technique to the varisty team of next year.

Ralph Stevens leaves his ability to snag passes, in football that is, to Ronnie Crofoot.

Shirley Stevens wills her position as librarian to her sister Phyllis.

Bill Stevens wills his strength to Dick Spencer so Dick can be as forceful as Bill.

Frank Szarenski wills his ability to graduate in $3\frac{1}{2}$ years to Charles McKenna. Good luck Charlie.

Barbara Weigold bequeaths her ability to keep her acquaintances a deep dark secret to Kenny Milano

We do hereby appoint Myron Reyher as executor without bond of this our last will and testament.

On the day and year first above written, we have hereunto affixed our seal and, our president, his signature in the presence of these witnesses.

CLASS OF '49

Class Of '49 SEAL St. Charles, Mich.

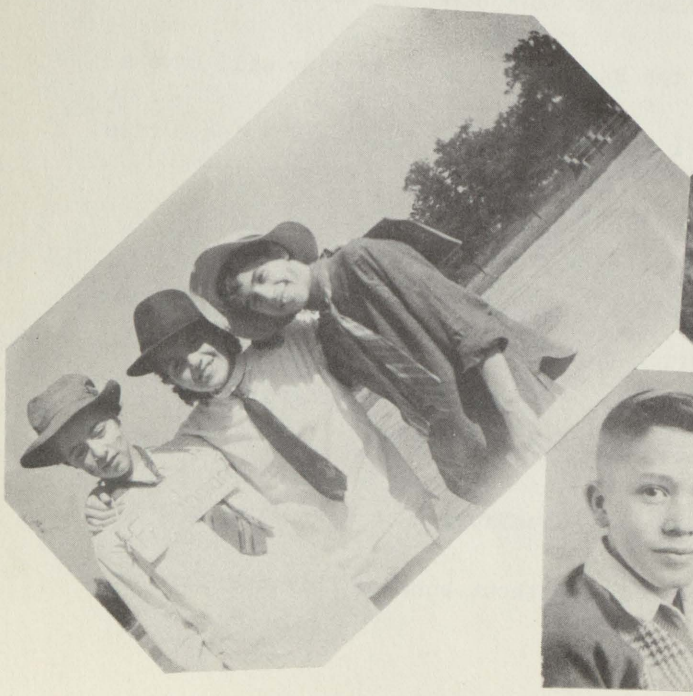
Don Evon

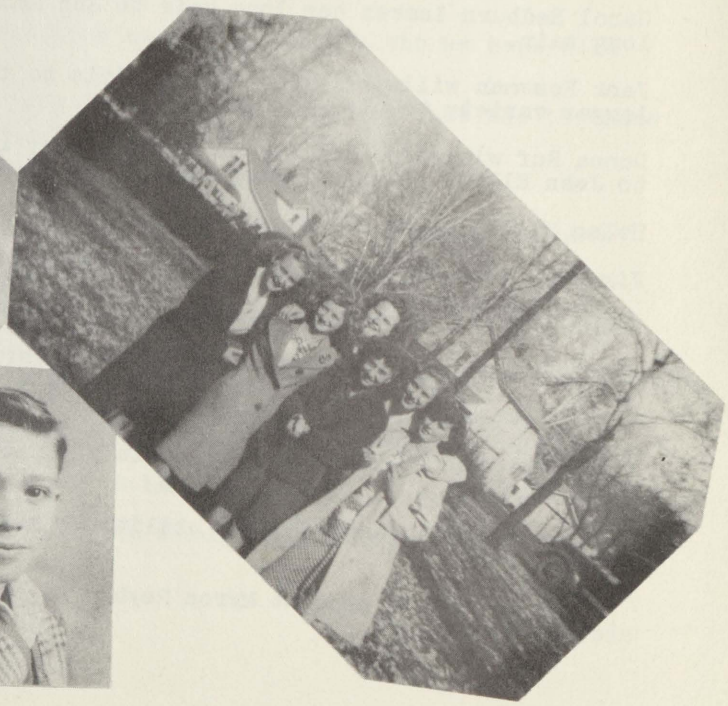
President

Witnesses:

Anna Thurston
St Charles, Mich

Payne Ward
St. Charles, Mich





We drank at the fountain of youth

OTHER CLASSES

JUNIORS

ELEVENTH

TOP ROW Roy Kinsey, David Thurston, James Evon, George Yurgens, Dean Ellis, Ronnie Crofoot, Albert Denter, Lee Wood, Jim Galardi, Connie Wend, Charles Kocur, Robert Burtch.
MIDDLE ROW Class Sponsor Hugh Slater, Gladys Bell, Nancy Scherzer, Jean Ellis, Eunice Tausch, Wilma Knowles, Donna Fries, Jean Ann Malengo, Betsy Gould, Caroline Chludil, Jerry Dorn, LeRoy Nidini, Belle Weber, Patricia Pasionek, Beverly Greeman, Kathleen Toskey, Kenneth Milano.
BOTTOM ROW Lillian Shangle, Mary Hare, Joyce Deegan, Coilah Pirochta, Patricia Heins, Norman Sheltraw, Roderick Miller, Doris Bradt, Donna Sweeney, Jim Tiedt, Sharon Wilson, Phyllis Stevens.

JR. PLAY CAST

SOPHOMORES

TENTH

TOP ROW Billie Palmer, David Davis, Charles McKenna, Don Seeley, Elmer Wook, Don Kragenbrink, Jim Lutzke, Betty Allen, Laurel Stotts, Jim Gorman, LeRoy Louchart, William Bloniarczyk.
MIDDLE ROW Class Sponsor, John McCargar, Kenneth Williams, Bill Balmer, John Hulien, Dorothy Czuba, Joyce Fulton, Ruth Sims, Vera Herbers, Shirley Rappleyea, Sonia Schweizer, Eleanor Mendicke, Dorene Krause, Ann McSweyn, Irene Dorn, Marion Sanderson, Josephine LaFrance, Barbara Toskey.
BOTTOM ROW Beatrice Coffell, Dorothy Pease, Patricia Turner, Mary Alice Kendall, Jean Ann May, Don Lytle, James Bixby, Janice Duquette, Pat Murphy, Carol Rosser, Nancy Deegan, Patricia Ward.

FRESHMEN

NINTH

TOP ROW Nancy Thurston, Peggy Gorman, Nancy Tribfelner, Doris Stevens, Orrin Jackson, Jack Holst, Joe Delinsky, Roger Henninger, Steve Pistono, Jac Behm, Bill Howell, Kenneth Cundy.
MIDDLE ROW Dale Lister, Genevieve Stevens, Geraldine Bradford, Dorothy Langford, Allen Sperry, Suzanne Tiedt, Betty Ofstedal, Donna Milano, Joyce Rosser, Joyce Sweatland, Bonnie Lux, Marvin Peters, Betty Bell, Ruth Fuller, Arlene Schultz, Charlotte Viette, Class Sponsor William Rich.
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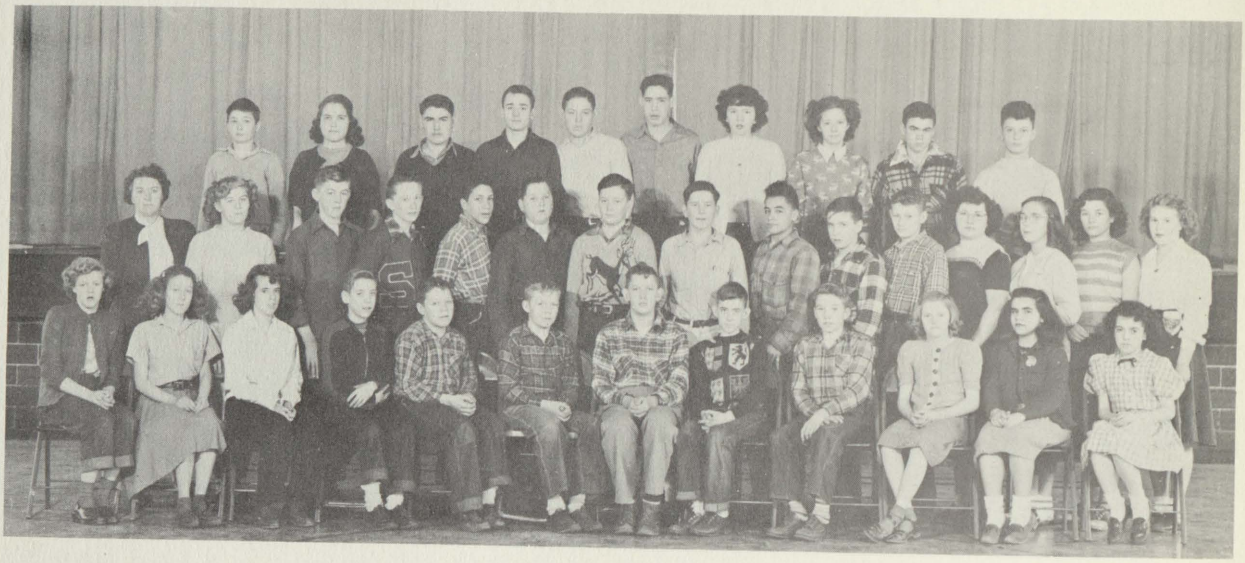
EIGHTH GRADE

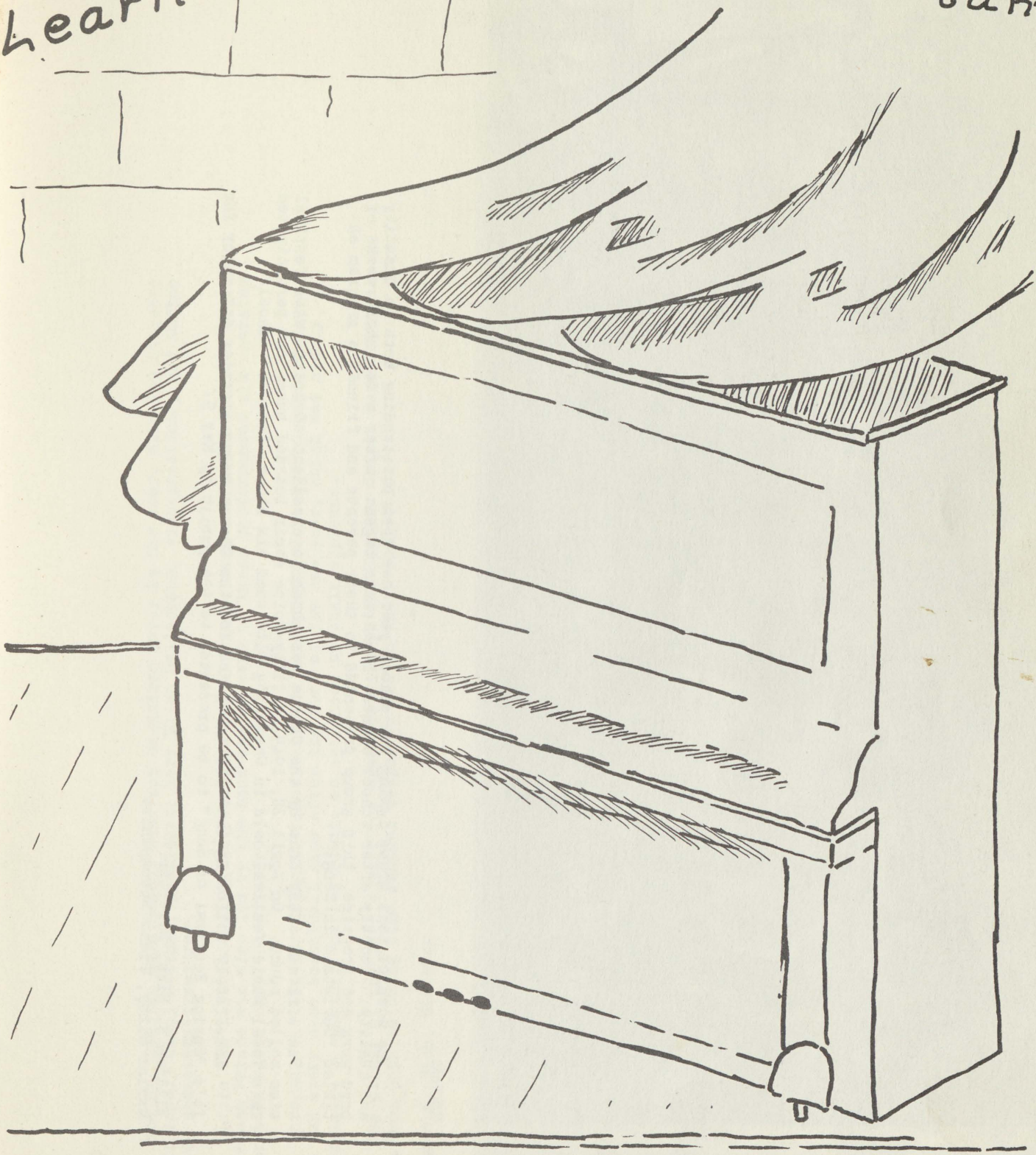


EIGHT

TOP ROW Richard Dorn, Nancy Tetroe, Rudy Padoba, James Hawes, James Brownlie, Norman Conklin, Geraldine Tanny, Joyce Wood, Don Pirochta, John Pavesi.
MIDDLE ROW Class Sponsor Katherine Ward, JoAnne Szarenski, James Sheltraw, Eugene Wisinewski, Lemar Petoskey, Donald McSweyn, Edwin Easterling, Jay Loaghridge, Thomas Romanilli, Donald Milano, Bruce Billiter, Marion Tetroe, Nancy Thorsby, Lois Ruf, Helen Louchart.
BOTTOM ROW Phyllis Nichols, Georgian Howell, Patricia Deegan, David Crofoot, Gerald Wilson, Richard Stevens, Edward Butzin, Charles Sweatland, Rodney Spitz, JoAnne Trim, Geraldine Romanilli, Geraldine Deegan.

The old building's in pretty bad shape.
I'm glad they'll have a new building
They're fine youngsters.
We ought to have a real team next year.

Learned to keep in time and tune



MUSIC

With out a song the day

CHORUS

The work of this group during the school year has been outstanding both in quantity and quality. Shortly after school opened, rehearsals began. After a few short weeks of hard work and practice, this group presented to their parents and friends a program entitled "Christmas in Song."

The work and study done by the Chorus was shown to excellent advantage when festival time rolled round. On April 28, 1949, a fifty-voice choir boarded buses and participated in a Vocal Music Festival held in Chesaning with some six other Class "C" schools.

Immediately following the Christmas Vacation the Chorus began practice and study for it's "Spring Festival of Song" to be presented to the public on May 9.

William E. Rich, Director
Maxine Bixby, Piano Accompanist

BAND

The St. Charles High School Band was organized early in the year, electing officers as follows: Carol Redburn, president; Mary Ellen Bellenbaum, vice-president; and Marion Cerva, secretary-treasurer.

Before the last football game, the band led the snake dance through town; the annual Halloween Parade was also led by the band and at each of these performances six charming majorettes added pomp and glitter.

Through constant and diligent rehearsals, the band prepared itself to perform for each and every home basketball game after the turn of the new year, which was highly appreciated by the St. Charles Public as evidenced by their applause.

The climax of the year's work and practice will be the Saginaw County Band Festival when they hope to bring home another trophy to add to their collection.

William E. Rich, Director

would never end.

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CLUBS AND ASSOCIATIONS

THE EMBLEM OF SUCCESS BASED UPON ACHIEVEMENT

The Commercial Club is a chapter of the National OBC. The purpose of the organization is to do more and better work than is required and to get acquainted with the opportunities for young people. The Club visited M.S.C., the Michigan State Police Headquarters, and the Capitol last spring. A trip is planned to the Dow Chemical Plant in Midland, also to the Gase Bakeries and Court in Saginaw. (Patricia Pasionek was absent when this picture was taken.)

Nancy Thurston

Rita Sanderson

Maxine Bixby

Mary Ann Griffiths

CHEERLEADERS

VARSITY CLUB

The Varsity Club was organized in May 1948, with the help of Mrs. Reed and 47-48 letter men. The first official meeting of 1948 was held on September 15, at which time officers were elected as follows: Bill Krause, president; Bill Stevens, vice-president; Jerry Griffiths, secretary; Freeman Lytle, treasurer; and the trustees, Jack Rossman, Don Evon, Angelo Pavesi, and Ralph Stevens.

The Varsity Club strives to maintain good sportsmanship between fellow players and opposing teams.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council began work early in the year. The members decided to present the school with a juke box as a parting gift from the Council of '49. The gift was needed and is being used at nearly all parties.

It is the duty of the Council to stress good sportsmanship between the students and the teachers and to strive to maintain good citizenship in the school.

DRAMATICS CLUB

One of the newest organizations to function in St. Charles High is the Dramatic Club. The purpose of the group is to promote the quality and the quantity of dramatic productions.

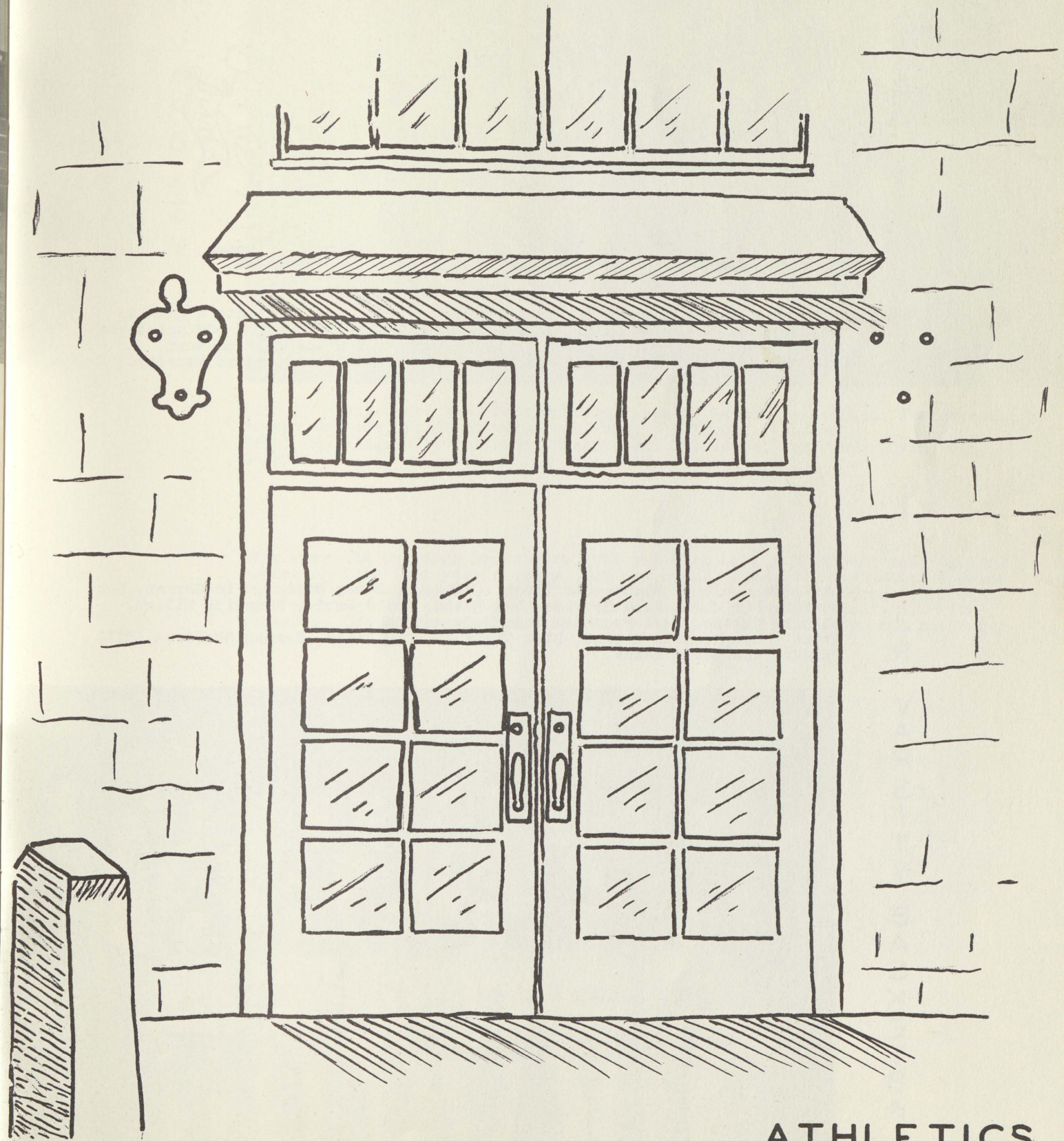
During the year the club succeeded in constructing---with the help of Mr. Slater---a unit stage set, which was used for the class plays of both the Juniors and the Seniors. Bit by bit the group plans to add to this set and to build others so that eventually St. Charles High will have first class stage sets.

HOME MAKING

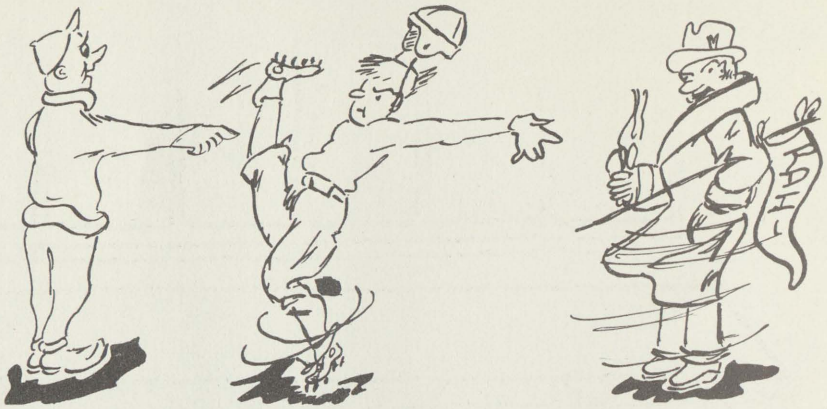
The Future Homemakers Club is a member of the county, state, and national organizations and attends the Regional Meetings. On December 22, the Homemaking classes held a Christmas party, exchanged gifts, and enjoyed a pot-luck luncheon.

A great deal of new equipment has been added to the Homemaking Department. This together with the decorating job that was done last fall, has added greatly to the appearance and efficiency of the department.

We built strong bodies for the future.



ATHLETICS

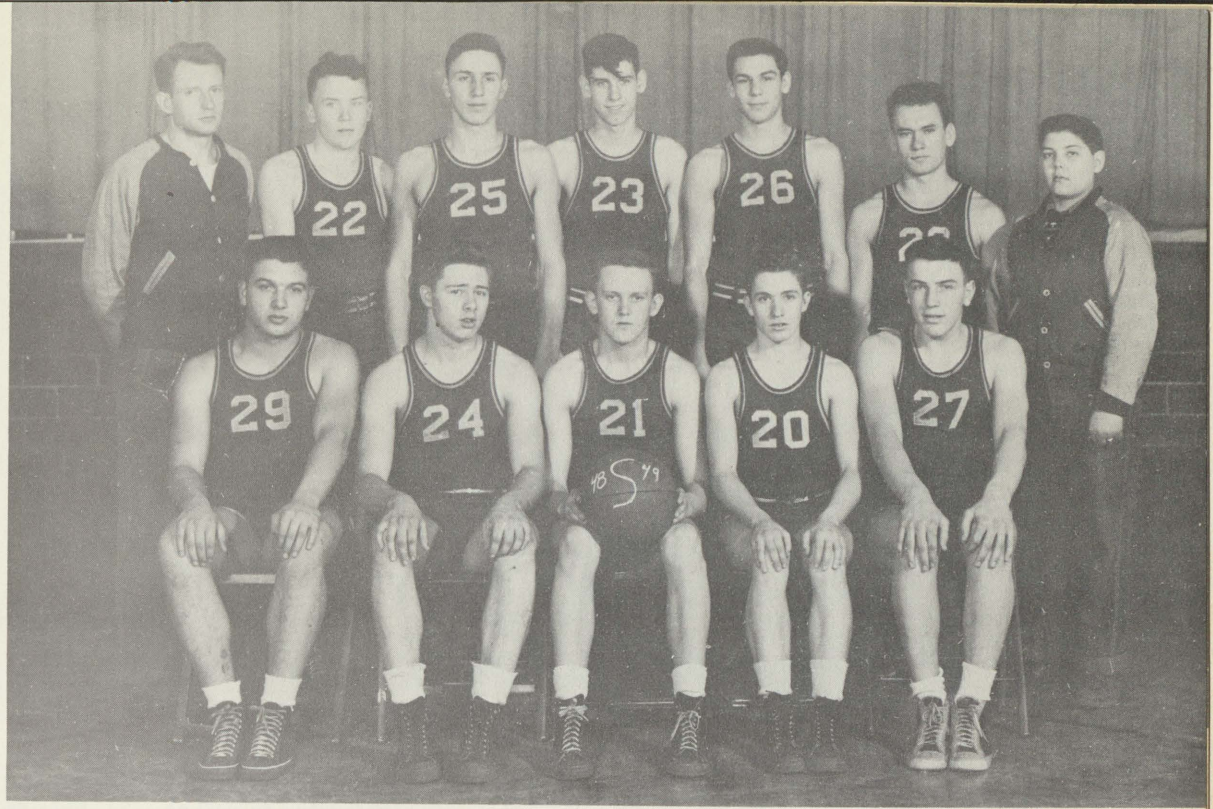


This year the JV's had a 7-9 record and they averaged 32 points a game to their opponets 31. The Little Bulldogs rolled up a total of 508 points to their opponets 496 which shows that they were not a low scoring team. The boys on this team should make up the nucelous of next years Varsity.

JR. VARSITY BASKETBALL

Back Row--Left To Right--Jim Tiedt, (Manager) Leroy Nidini, Jim Gorman, Bob Burtch, Lee Wood, Dale Dockham, Don Lytle, David Davis, Roderick Miller, Richard Milano, Earl Frasher, John McCargar Coach.
Front Row--Kenneth Milano, Dick Grubaugh, Jim Bixby, Norman Sheltraw, Bill Palmer, Charles McKenna.

SR. VARSITY



Left To Right--Back Row. John McCargar (coach) Robert Bellenbaum, Joe Galardi, Ronney Crofoot, Ralph Stevens, Don Evon, Jim Tiedt, (Manager).
Front Row. Angelo Pavesi, Bill Krause, Jim Stapleton, Jerry Griffiths, Jim Galardi.

This year the Bulldogs broke even with a 9-9 record. With only two regulars returning from last year's squad, our new coach, John McCargar molded a quintet that was reguarded as one of the strong teams of the Conference. Though only winning only nine games, St. Charles was never badly outscored. The prospects for next years team are very good with several letter men returning.

BASEBALL

TOP ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. McCargar Coach, J. Gorman, D. Davis, D. Grubaugh, D. Thurston, L. Wood, B. Burch, D. Dockham, J. Stapleton Mgr., C. Kocur, R. Miller, J. Evon, N. Sheltraw, C. McKenna, L. Nidini, J. Tiedt Mgr. BOTTOM ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: D. Evon, R. Crofoot, B. Fries, B. Krause, J. Griffiths, J. Bixby, B. Stevens, R. Stevens, J. Galardi.

1949 Baseball season opens April 21, 1949 with the St. Louis Crimson Tide. The prospects for the season are very promising as almost the entire 1948 team is returning.

TOP ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. McCargar Coach, B. Palmer, C. Kocur, J. Stapleton, D. Dockham, J. Galardi, D Lytle, N. Sheltraw, R. Milano, J. Teidt Mgr., BOTTOM ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: B. Krause, A. Pavesi, J. Galardi, J. Bixby, L. Nidini, J. Griffiths, R. Stevens.

At the present date the Bull Dogs will travel to the River Rouge as well as the Conference Track Meet in St. Louis, and Coach McCargar is hopeful of scheduling more meets.

TRACK

BASKETBALL

TOP ROW LEFT TO RIGHT--Coach, Burton DeYoung; Donna Fries; Jean Ellis; Dorothy Czuba; Caroline Chludil; Jean Malengo; Donna Ruf; Asst Coach, Katherine Ward.
BOTTOM ROW LEFT TO RIGHT--Shirley Bodhaine, Virginia Louchart, Arletta Hildebrant, Connie Wend, Betty Guziak, Mary Ellen Bellenbaum.

The Best Record Since 1930	There				Here			
Merrill	19	St. Charles	16		Merrill	20	St. Charles	23
Hemlock	30	St. Charles	31		Hemlock	42	St. Charles	45
Chesaning	16	St. Charles	16		Chesaning	18	St. Charles	25

TOP ROW LEFT TO RIGHT--Coach, Burton DeYoung; Josephine LaFrance; Peggy Gorman; Nancy Tribfelner; Laural Stotts; Marlene Evon; Pat Turner; Asst Coach, Katherine Ward.
BOTTOM ROW LEFT TO RIGHT--Nancy Thurston, Stella Pahota, Doris Bradt, Beverly Greenman, Pat Ward, Rita Sanderson.

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Merrill	21	St. Charles	19	Merrill	18	St. Charles	15
Hemlock	30	St. Charles	18	Hemlock	31	St. Charles	31
Chesaning	16	St. Charles	11	Chesaning	10	St. Charles	15

RESERVES

FOOTBALL

TOP ROW LEFT TO RIGHT---Leroy Nedini, Chuck McKenna, Don Lytle, Dick Grubaugh, Frank Szarenski, Dale Dockham, Jerry Griffiths, David Thurston, Jim Gorman, Jack Holst, Jack Hulien, David Davis.

BOTTOM ROW LEFT TO RIGHT---Coach, John McCargar, Joe Galardi, Angelo Pavesi, Jim Galardi, Jim Stapleton, Jim Bixby, Richard Milano, Bill Stevens, Ralph Stevens, Not Present--Charles Kocur, Bill Krause, Freeman Lytle, Matt Barancik.

Coach John McCargar's Bulldogs started the season off with a 12-12 tie against Chesaning. Next came St. Louis at St. Louis, where we were beaten 13-0 in one of the toughest battles of the year. The following week the Blue & Gold whipped Fulton 6-0 on our own home field. The next game was at Shepherd where we lost a hard fight 6-0 defeat which put Shepherd in the upper brachet of teams in the conference. The following week the St. Charles eleven downed the heralded Ithaca eleven in a close 13-12 thriller at Ithaca which was their homecoming game. This win put St. Charles in second place. Next to come was Breckenridge at St. Charles. The visitors won in the fading minutes of play by a score of 12-7. The last game was with our traditional rival Chesaning. Here the point after touchdown again showed its effectiveness. Chesaning won this one 7-6.

During the season St. Charles won two, tied one, and lost four games. In the Saginaw Valley C Conference we finished in fourth place. The team was honored to have Angelo Pavesi named on the Class C All State Team and he and Jim Galardi made the All Conference Team.

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To each one of you, I extend my best wishes for your success and offer my congratulations on your graduation.

Myron H. Reyher
Class Advisor and Superintendent
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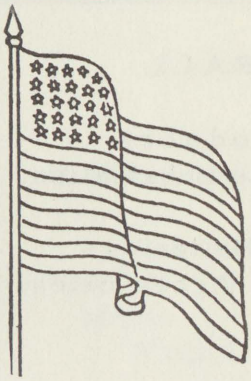

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